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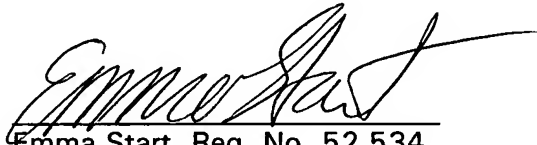
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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

*EXAMINER INITIAL	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	1.	US 6,101,750	08-15-2000	Blesener et al.			
	2.	US 5,551,796	09-03-1996	Anderson, Jr. et al.			
	3.	US 4,333,268	06-08-1982	Dumbeck			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	Translation	
							YES	NO
	4.	EP 0 537 095 A2	04-14-1993	Europe			✓	
	5.	FR 2 650 846 A1	02-15-1991	France			✓	

OTHER DOCUMENTS *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

	6.	B.R.A. BRENNUS, Biseau de Rabattement de Voies (with english translation)
	7.	UNI-SOLAR Framed Solar Modules US-Series

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